

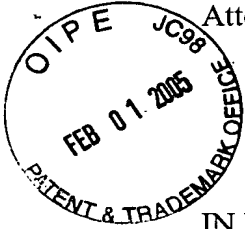
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U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



Attorney Docket No. 924013-919480

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: : Harycki, Edward et al
APPLICATION NO: : 09/844,350
FILED: : April 27, 2001
FOR: PERSONALISED FINANCIAL
PRODUCTS AND COMPUTER
IMPLEMENTED FINANCIAL
SYSTEMS
EXAMINER: : BACKER, FIRMIN
GROUP ART UNIT: : 3621
CONFIRMATION NO. : 2471

PETITION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Petitioner, Applicant in the above-identified application, hereby requests that the response to the outstanding Office Action submitted herewith be accepted pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a). The outstanding Office Action was issued on September 3, 2004, the initial period for a response expiring December 3, 2004.

As required, the appropriate fee of \$450.00 specified in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 for a two-month extension is submitted herewith. Please credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees to the Deposit Account of Barnes & Thornburg, Account Number 02-1010 (924013-919480).

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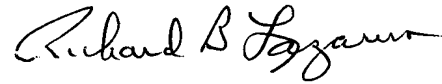
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The requirements of the Code of Federal Regulations having been met,
acceptance of the accompanying document is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosure